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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 9:00 am-4:00 pm

Friday: Closed

Closed Wednesday: 11:00-11:30 a.m.

for Daily Mass

BULLETIN DEADLINE: MONDAY AT NOON

Please send requests to kciacchi@stjohnsunbury.org.

Mass Schedule

Saturdays: 4:00 pm

Sundays: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekdays: Tuesday & Thursday, 6:00 pm

Wednesday & Friday, 11:00 am

First Saturday of the Month: 9:00 am

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Perpetual Adoration is located in the Chapel, unlocked hours are 7:00 am-7:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Tuesdays & Thursdays: 5:00-5:45 pm

First Fridays: 10:00-10:45 am

Saturdays: 3:00-3:45 pm.or by appointment

30 Minutes before all Sunday Masses

BAPTISMS

Please contact John Pratt at jpratt@stjohnsunbury.org.

WEDDINGS

Please call the Parish Office at least six months before the proposed wedding date.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call the Parish Office at (740) 965-1358.

If after hours, select the Emergency Line by pressing ext. 1.

Mission Statement

St. John Neumann exists to lead people to a transformative encounter with Jesus Christ.

LENTEN EVENTS AT ST. JOHN NEUMANN



FISH FRYS

Every Friday in Lent with the last one on April 11

4:00 - 7:00 pm

In the Faith and Family Center

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays at 6:30 pm in the church.

RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Wednesday, April 9 Confessions will begin at 6:30 pm in the Church.

For more information, visit our website, saintjohnsunbury.org



HOLY WEEK AT ST. JOHN NEUMANN

PALM SUNDAY

APRIL 13

4/12, Vigil Mass 4:00 pm 4/13, Mass 9:00 & 11:00 am

RECONCILIATION MONDAY

APRIL 14

No Mass

Confessions 5:00 - 7:00 pm

TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK APRIL 15

No Mass or Confessions due to

the **Diocesan Chrism Mass.** The Diocese of Columbus Chrism Mass at St. Paul Church

at 3:30 pm.

SPY WEDNESDAY APRIL 16 Mass 11:00 am

Confessions from 5:00-7:00 pm

HOLY THURSDAY APRIL 17

Mass of the Lord's Supper 4/17, Mass 6:30 pm

GOOD FRIDAY

APRIL 18

Outdoor Stations of the Cross 4/18, 11:00 am; begin at the

pavilion

Liturgy of The Lord's Passion

4/18, 3:00 pm

saintjohnsunbury.org/holy-week-at-st-john-neumann

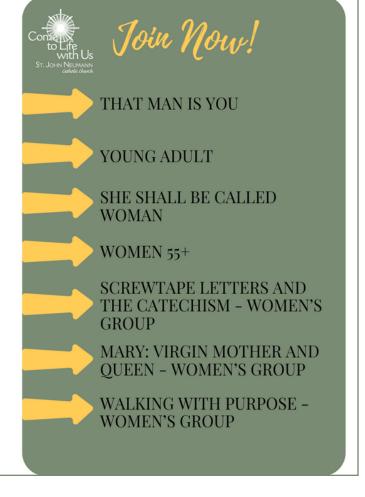




OPEN LIFE GROUPS







saintjohnsunbury.org/join-a-life-group



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT A VOCATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD?

THE MELCHIZEDEK PROJECT

Are you feeling called to explore a religious vocation? Young men, from high school through young adulthood, are invited to join Fr. Dury for the Melchizedek Vocation Discernment Project.

Enjoy pizza and engage in discussions about vocation discernment and the path to the priesthood.

Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month. For more information, please reach out to Father Dury at frdury@stjohnsunbury.org.

We look forward to seeing you on Wednesday, April 2, from 5:30 to 6:30 pm in the Parish Office Conference Room.





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ALL ARE INVITED!

St. John Neumann Church Tour

April 11th at 5:45 PM

SPRING SESSION

ST. JOHN NEUMANN GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS 7:00 - 8:30 PM

> April 23 April 30 May 7 May 14 May 21





For more information or to sign up, please visit our website or scan the QR code. For questions, contact Deacon Carl at 740-965-1358, ext. 126.

Beyond the Fear: Parenting Teens in an Overwhelming Culture

April 6 | 3:30 - 4:45 PM

Features

- Understanding the impact of social media and how to set healthy boundaries
- Overcoming isolation through community



Led by parishioner Ricky Shoop from Lumin Counseling Group. Learn more at Lumin Counseling, lumin-therapy.com.

Let us know you're coming!

Register at, saintjohnsunbury.org/parent-session

SJNOUTREACH

BWFWS DRIVE: MARCH 29 - APRIL 13

HELP RESTOCK THE PANTRY AT BIG WALNUT FRIENDS WHO SHARE

As we enter a time of increased need, Big Walnut Friends Who Share is running low on food supplies. To support their efforts, St. John Neumann Church is hosting a food drive to help restock their shelves.

Most Needed Items:

- Pasta & Pasta Sauce
- Pancake Mix & Syrup
 Canned Vegetables (except corn & green beans)
 Canned Meats
- Canned Fruit
- Cake Mix & Icing

Please consider donating to help those in need. Every contribution makes a difference!

THE FEBRUARY OUTREACH

The total for February Outreach was \$22,353.31, which was split between the Good Samaritan Ministry and St. Vincent de Paul. Thank you for your generosity!

SCRIP: APRIL 5 & 6

You can stock up on gift cards for Easter baskets or to purchase groceries for your Easter dinner or gas to visit your family or even to shop for that new Easter bonnet! Stop by after all the Masses next weekend in the Hall of Saints!

HELP US REACH OUR GOAL FOR MARY'S MEALS!

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A HEARTFELT THANK YOU!



On behalf of Pregnancy Resources of Delaware County, we, the Knights of Columbus, extend our deepest gratitude to the parishioners of St. John Neumann for their incredible generosity in supporting our diaper drive. Your contributions made this initiative a resounding success!

Thanks to your kindness, we collected 4,180 diapers, with the following breakdown:

- Newborn: 298
- Size 1: 344
- Size 2: 212
- Size 3: 980
- Size 4: 1,042 Size 5: 136
- Size 6: 1,080
- Size 7: 88

Additionally, we received 21 packages of wipes. Your support means the world to us and to the families we serve. Thank you for making a difference in the lives of others!



PRAYER OF THE GREAT **JUBILEE 2025**

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel, May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth. when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen.





FAMILY OF FAITH APRIL

Family of Faith is a ministry at St. John Neumann that supports parishioners throughout key life stages, from marriage preparation and matrimony to their children's sacraments of Baptism, First Reconciliation, and Confirmation, as well as Youth Ministry through high school.

Upcoming Dates:

4/1/25

• ROOT A: 6:30 – 7:30 pm (Pizza at 6:15 pm)

4/6/25

- NOURISH A: 10:30 11:30 am
- Confirmation Class: 3:30 4:45 pm
- FoF Parent Event: Beyond the Fear: Parenting Teens in an Overwhelming Culture: 3:30 4:45 pm
- High School Youth Group: 6:00 8:00 pm

What is Family of Faith?

Family of Faith is our program of faith formation for families with children. The primary way a child grows in faith is through the witness of the family in the home. We seek to provide quality materials and a framework of support for Sacramental preparation and growth in each member of the family's understanding of what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. Find out more information at saintjohnsunbury.org/family-faith-formation-1.

You're Invited to St. John Neumann's





Fridays during Lent from 4:00 - 7:00 pm

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Sides: 7 Bean Salad, Baked Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, French Fries, Applesauce, and Coleslaw

Bake Sale Donations for Fish Fry

We welcome homemade cakes, pies, brownies, bars, and cookies for the Fish Fry Bake Sale! Please drop off your desserts at the Faith & Family Center by 4:00 pm on any of the six Fridays during Lent.

Thank you!





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Confessions 10:00 am

Rosary 10:30 am

Mass 11:00 am

Divine Mercy Chaplet 11:30 am



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SCHEDULE

Sunday, March 30 BWFWS Drive

8:30 am Confessions

9:00 am Mass (Anna Tornes †)

10:00 am Life Group Mentor Meeting

10:30 am Confessions

11:00 am Mass (Jeff Brader †)

12:15 pm OCI - FFC C Sign Language Class

Monday, March 31 BWFWS Drive

Tuesday, April 1 BWFWS Drive

5:00 pm Confessions

5:30 pm Rosary

6:00 pm Mass (Judith Trout †)

6:30 pm ROOT A - FFC

Wednesday, April 2 BWFWS Drive

10:30 am Rosary

11:00 am Mass (Jeff Brader †)

5:30 pm Melchizedek Project - Parish Office Conference Room

Thursday, April 3 BWFWS Drive

5:00 pm Confessions

5:30 pm Rosary

6:00 pm Mass (Bonnie Gomez †)

Friday, April 4
First Friday
BWFWS Drive

10:00 am Confessions 10:30 am Rosary

11:00 am Mass (Living & Deceased of the Schaeufele Family)

11:30 am Divine Mercy Chaplet

4:00 pm Fish Fry - FFC

6:30 pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday, April 5 First Saturday

SCRIP BWFWS Drive

9:00 am Mass (Donna D'Andrea)

9:45 am Baptism Preparation Class

1:00 pm Hanson/Hartley Wedding

3:00 pm Confessions

4:00 pm Mass (Intentions of Elizabeth Jozak)

Sunday, April 6

SCRIP

Family Promise

BWFWS Drive 8:30 am Confessions

9:00 am Mass (People of the Parish)

10:00 am Life Group Mentor Meeting

10:30 am Confessions

NOURISH A - FFC Upper-Level A & B

11:00 am Mass (Jeff Brader †)

12:15 pm OCI - FFC C

Baptisms

Sign Language Class - Padre Pio Room

3:30 pm Confirmation Class-FFC

Beyond the Fear: Parenting Teens in an Overwhelming Culture

6:00 pm High School Youth Group

IT'S NOT OO LATE







Make a donation up to the April 15 federal tax deadline and claim the credit on your 2024 Ohio tax filing!

As a taxpayer in the state of Ohio, when you make a donation to the Emmaus Road Scholarship Fund, you are eligible to receive a dollar-for-dollar credit* on your state income tax liability while creating need-based scholarships for students in Our Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Columbus.

*Ohio tax credit is up to \$750 per person, or \$1,500 if married filing jointly. Based on tax rates posted by the Ohio Department of Taxation, an individual with an annual income of \$40,000 has an average state tax liability of \$750.Consult your tax advisor for guidance. The Emmaus Road Scholarship Fund is a certified scholarship granting organization in the state of Ohio.

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WEDDING BANNS

Alexander Shand and Kara Day to be wed on May 3, 2025.

OFFERTORY

Thank you for supporting St. John Neumann's mission. Your generosity is vital to the success of our community. The offertory for March 23, 2025 was \$52,793. Thank you for your commitment. To donate online, please scan the QR code below.







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